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Reader's Responses

1. Poem on Out of the Dust by Karen Hesse

Poem is about how I felt while reading the book...

How strange how the actions of **one** affect so many
Life can **change** so quickly
Such a **young** girl to experience so much **sadness** and loss
Her life seems so helpless and **hopeless**

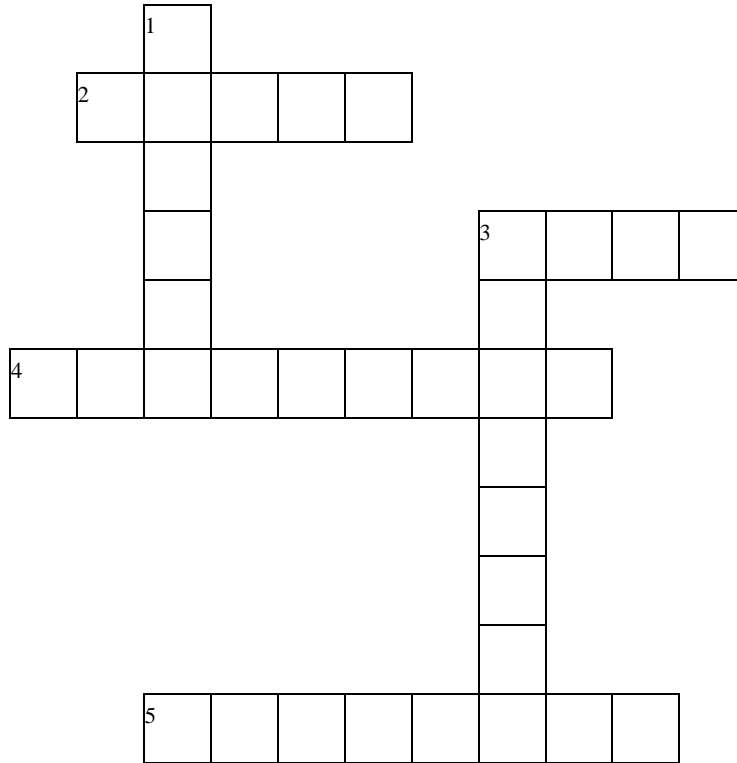
But wait!
There is **hope** yet
In **time** her hands **heal**
Her passion **returns**
Her father's heart **heals**
His passion **returns**
The land **heals**
Its life **returns**

I see how all they needed was **time**...

2. Create a crossword puzzle based on the story

This is just a sample of what a crossword on the book would look like

Out of the Dust



Across

2. Main character is really talented at the _____.

3. All the time the main character wanted to get out the ____ but it a part of her.

4. Style of poetry Hesse uses

5. Main character's brother's name

Down

1. Jo Main characters name

3. Name for the region character lives in